

## The Herald and News

A. H. AULL, EDITOR

## AS TO COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

Our esteemed friend, T. J. W., does not favor compulsory education for South Carolina. We appreciate very much his kind words about the editor and we hope the editor will not disappoint him. It is necessary, however, to correct one or two wrong impressions which seem to have been made on the mind of T. J. W. and possibly others. In advocating compulsory education no one suggested that there would be any increase of the amount of school tax or that it would be advisable to lengthen the school term to nine months, though that would be desirable, but not practicable at present and for some time to come. The most ardent advocates of compulsory education for South Carolina only contend for a term of sixteen weeks, which is less than the public school term in this State.

As to the statement that "there are at least three-fifths of the white parents doing everything available to school their children, in fact there are hundreds of them making sacrifice."

This is true, and no better argument in favor of a compulsory education law can be made. "Three-fifths of the white parents are doing everything available to school their children." Compulsory education would not in the least affect these three-fifths. But there are two-fifths of the white parents of the State who are not accounted for by T. J. W., and these two-fifths, and not the "three-fifths" who are doing everything available, already, are the ones who desire to reach and are the only ones who would be reached by legislation of this character.

Referring to the case mentioned in these columns of a young girl in one of our upper counties who could neither read nor write and had never heard of the existence of a God, T. J. W. asserts that "any parents who neglect the moral training of their children in this respect are not worthy to live." If this be true, what about a State which permits parents to neglect their children? But the worth of the parents is not the question. The welfare of the children is that which is demanding attention.

As to the cotton mill, what T. J. W. says of Mr. McCary is possibly true. The mill has built a handsome school building and contributes to the support of the school, and yet there are children right here in the Newberry cotton mill village who ought to be at school and whose parents want to send them but who cannot because their labor is demanded in the mill.

There is no danger that we will overdo the matter of education for a long time to come. If it is right to tax the people for the education of the children because in a government like ours an educated and intelligent citizenship is not only desirable but necessary, then it is right to say to those parents or guardians who are neglecting the children entrusted to their care, that you shall give them the advantage of the education provided. Not to increase the amount expended but that all the children shall receive the advantage of that already provided.

The town of Greenwood is making a hard fight to secure the Methodist College in case it is removed from Columbia and the opinion prevails that it is to be moved. The board favors moving and a great many Methodists. This feeling, it seems to us, prevails from the fact that the people of Columbia are utterly indifferent. Columbia is centrally located and is really the place for the college, but as the business men there are so indifferent it looks that the college will be moved.

We admire the pluck of Greenwood. The college will be worth a great deal to any community in which it is located from every point of view—financial, intellectual and moral.

We like a town or a community that is progressive and a people who can see beyond their nose.

We observe that Col. Jno. T. Sloan is announcing his appointments right along. He has not yet been elected lieutenant governor, but we presume he wants to get rid of office seekers as early as possible by letting it be known that he has already decided on the men he has selected. Capt. Heyward says he will not consider applications for appointment until after he has been elected.

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L. W. FLOYD, Manager.

## NOTICE OF ELECTION

For State and County Officers, and upon Proposed Amendment to the State Constitution

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY.

Notice is hereby given that the general election for State and County officers will be held at the voting precincts, prescribed by law in said County, on Tuesday, November 4, 1902, said day being Tuesday following the first Monday in November, as prescribed by law.

At the said election a separate box will be provided, at which qualified electors will vote upon the adoption or rejection of an amendment to the State Constitution as provided in the following Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution Proposing to Amend Section II of Article VII of the Constitution of 1895, Relating to Counties and County Government.

SECTION I. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina: That the following amendment to Section II, Article VII, of the Constitution, be agreed to: add to the end thereof the following words: that this section shall not apply to the following townships in the following Counties: Dunklin and Oaklawn in the County of Greenville; the townships of Cokesbury, Ninety-Six and Cooper in the County of Greenwood; Sullivan Township in the County of Laurens; Huiett and Pine Grove in the County of Saluda. That the corporate existence of said townships be, and the same is hereby, destroyed and all officers under said townships are abolished and all corporate agents removed.

SEC. 2. But the question of adopting this amendment shall be submitted at the next general election to the electors as follows: Those in favor of the amendment shall deposit a ballot with the following words plainly printed or written thereon: "Constitutional amendment of Section Eleven of Article Seven of the Constitution, relating to Counties and County Government, Yes." Those opposed to said amendment shall cast a ballot with the following words plainly printed or written thereon: "Constitutional amendment of Section Eleven of Article Seven of the Constitution, relating to Counties and County Government, No."

Approved the 28th day of February, A. D. 1902.

SEC. 7. There shall be separate and distinct ballots and boxes at this election for the following officers, to wit: 1. Governor and Lieutenant Governor. 2. Other State officers. 3. State Senator. 4. Members of the House of Representatives. 5. County officers. On which shall be the name or names of the person or persons voted for as such officers, respectively, and the office for which they are voted.

Before the hour fixed for opening the polls Managers and Clerks must take and administer the Constitutional oath. The Chairman of the Board of Managers can administer the oath to the other Managers and to the Clerk; a Notary Public must administer the oath to the Chairman. The Managers elect their Chairman and Clerk.

Polls at each voting place must be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and closed at 4 o'clock p. m., except in the city of Charleston, where they shall be opened at 7 a. m. and closed at 6 p. m.

The Managers have the power to fill a vacancy, and if none of the Managers attend the citizens can appoint from among the qualified voters the Managers, who, after being sworn, can conduct the election.

At the close of the election, the Managers and Clerk must proceed publicly to open the ballot boxes and count the ballots therein, and continue without adjournment until the same is completed, and make a statement of the result for each office and sign the same.

Within three days thereafter, the Chairman of the Board, or some one designated by the Board, must deliver to the Commissioners of Election the poll list, the boxes containing the ballots and written statements of the result of the election.

The following

MANAGERS OF ELECTION

have been appointed to hold the election at the various precincts in the said county:

Newberry—G. S. Nolan, Claude Dominick, Floyd Bradley.  
Factory—P. F. Baxter, Niel Campbell, Brooks Hutchinson.  
Helena—Geo. P. Hill, B. E. Julian, J. W. L. Arthur.

Mt. Bethel—S. J. D. Price, J. D. Nance, Joe McCary.  
Central School House—C. W. Shealy, J. C. Seybt, Joe Stockman.  
Pomaria—H. T. Counts, Richard Hipp, Julius Koon.

Walton—Bachman Suber, W. B. Graham, R. L. Crooks.  
St. Philip's—R. G. Sligh, W. R. Kohn, M. L. Wicker.

Little Mountain—D. C. Boland, C. E. Wines, Geo. W. Farr.  
The Managers at each precinct named above are requested to delegate one of their number to secure boxes and blanks for the election. They can be secured on and after Thursday, October 30th, at J. W. White's store.

S. C. MERCHANT, J. N. PEAGLE, B. B. LEITZSEY, Commissioners of State and County Election for Newberry County.

October 13th, 1902.

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## QUARTERLY REPORT

Of County Supervisor for Quarter Ending September 30, 1902.

555 H O Long, road and bridge \$ 3 75

556 S N Henderson, ferry claim 4 00

557 S A Merchant, mag. sal. 12 50

558 Math McCary, cor. sal. 12 50

559 Henry Davis, ferry claim 6 00

560 M Lindsay, cor. sal. 20 84

561 C B Tidwell, cor. con. 2 00

562 Austin Vance, ferry claim 12 00

563 J W Ruff, mag. sal. 9 00

564 M M Buford, jail rept. 25 60

565 E O Hentz, lunacy 5 00

566 Louis Bonham, ferry claim 4 50

567 W G Mayes, stationery 30 05

568 Jno W Scott, r and b 3 00

569 M M Buford, sheriff ex 4 00

570 J W Maybin, cor sal & fees 10 09

571 Erwin Derrick, cor tax 1 00

572 F E Maybin, mag sal 6 25

573 R L Motes, p m 10 00

574 J W Smith, cor tax 1 00

575 J B Clary, r and b 3 67

576 Fred Robertson, r and b 3 69

577 chaingang 3 00

578 M M Suber, cor sal 14 40

579 W F Suber, mag sal 9 00

580 M M Buford, sheriff ex 9 00

581 W W Hodges, lunacy 5 00

582 S K Bouknight, chaingang 12 75

583 W H Wallace, adv & print'g 21 50

584 J R Foster, r and b 1 25

585 J J Epting, cor tax 8 00

586 H H Folk, r and b 6 24

587 G S Enlow, cor tax 1 00

588 T B Carlisle, r and b 1 50

589 C W Bishop, jail ex 1 50

590 Austin Vance, ferry claim 4 00

591 T G Williams, cor fees 6 90

592 J J Epting, cor tax 4 25

593 W H Counts, cor tax 1 50

594 C B Tidwell, cor con 2 00

595 " " contingent 1 00

596 J W Dorroh, cor tax 1 75

597 R B McCary Est, c'ty home 5 39

598 Copeand Bros, county home 1 25

599 M L Wicker, cor tax 1 00

600 Geo. C. Clary, c'ty ex 10 00

601 F L Lomnick, r and b 5 82

602 J B Clary, r and b 12 25

603 E H Aull, adv ising 3 00

604 M M Morris, cor tax 2 00

605 T B Perry, cor con 20 00

606 Standard Mfg Co, chaingang 13 80

607 W R Reid, chaingang 5 00

608 J S Dominick, cor tax 5 00

609 L D Morris, cor tax 10 25

610 L S Shelly, cor tax 8 00

611 E Lout, cor tax 4 00

612 Hawkeye, adv 5 00

613 H M McCallough, co phys 7 00

614 C B Tidwell, cor con 18 27

615 J A Burio, r and b 20 83

616 F M Lindsay, cor sal 4 00

617 Henry Carpenter, jail ex 1 00

618 T E Grizzard, cor tax 11 00

619 Levi Kibler, r and b 12 50

620 Mac Bedenbaugh, cor tax 2 25

621 S L Fellers, cor tax 1 00

622 J S Clowry, ferry claim 2 50

623 R Y Leavell & Son, chaing 1 00

624 E H Longshore, cor tax 12 50

625 J B Hunter, c'ty and att'y 62 50

626 J M Schumpert, sup sal 75

627 A P Boozer, r and b 6 25

628 Benj Hallface, cor sal 2 00

629 Levi Britt, pauper 2 00

630 T G Williams, cor fees 2 00

631 J W Pitts, cor tax 4 56

632 J B Clary, r and b 2 00

633 T W Fellers, pauper 4 55

634 A C Lake, r and b 6 00

635 A P Boozer, cor tax 7 00

636 Nathan Vaughn, cor tax 6 00

637 E H Cousin, cor tax 54 09

638 E S Werts, sup sal 6 25

639 J Y Floyd, cor sal 12 00

640 J I Calmes, ferry claim 30 00

641 Antline Buzhardt, co home 27 77

642 J A Suber, co home 5 50

643 L S Livingston, cor tax 11 00

644 T C Bundrick, cor tax 15 00

645 J W Smith, cor tax 4 00

646 J A Shelly, cor tax 5 00

647 H H Dorroh, cor tax 4 00

648 M L Cousin, cor tax 2 00

649 M S Bowers, cor tax 2 00

650 E H Clowry, r and b 16 55

651 W R Reid, chaingang 2 00

652 S W Brown, r and b 32 10

653 D M Wells, chaingang 8 00

654 J C Davenport, cor tax 26 00

655 J A Blair, " " 7 00

656 J A Schroeder, " " 3 00

657 B B Bishop, " " 8 00

658 E B Martin, " " 8 00

659 G W Boudrick, " " 8 00

660 D B Stillwell, cor tax 10 25

661 J W Cromer, cor tax 8 00

662 J H Hendrix, " " 3 50

663 Levi Kibler, " " 7 75

664 J J Pitts, " " 4 50

665 J J Longshore, " " 350 00

666 Geo Derrick, ferry claim 13 00

667 M M Buford, sheriff sal 2 37

668 M C Cameron, cor tax 6 12

669 J B Rawls, r and b 8 00

670 J B Rawls, r and b 4 88

671 J B Rawls, r and b 2 00

672 J B Rawls, r and b 1 50

673 J B Rawls, r and b 6 00

674 J B Rawls, r and b 10 00

675 J B Rawls, r and b 1 25

676 J B Rawls, r and b 1 50

677 J B Rawls, r and b 4 50

678 J B Rawls, r and b 17 48

679 J B Rawls, r and b 5 00

680 J B Rawls, r and b 6 92

681 M M Evans, chaingang 9 30

682 M M Buford, jail rept 54 40

683 C L Wilson, cor tax 7 00

684 J B Clary, r and b 3 00

685 J B Clary, r and b 15 03

686 J B Clary, r and b 6 03

687 B. M. Koon, cor tax 32 00

688 M M Buford, sheriff ex 9 86

689 M D Smith, cor tax 7 50

690 J W George, cor tax 4 60

691 M Turner Hipp, cor tax 6 00

692 G S Dickert, cor tax 6 00

693 M S Dominick, cor tax 1 00

694 Jno H Garrett, cor tax 1 00

695 J K Bedenbaugh, cor tax 1 00

696 G W Duncanson, cor tax 1 00

697 G D Dominick, cor tax 1 00

698 Jno L Epps, office ex 1 30

699 J M Swasey, p m 5 00

700 W A Co. att. cor 8 50

701 R G Ringer, cor tax 1 00

702 J A Kinard, cor con 2 00

703 C A Bouker, r and b 75

704 D Bouker, cor tax 3 00

705 J W Hunter, cor tax 11 75

706 N Lester, cor tax 1 00

707 J B Jeter, cor tax 6 75

708 J S Bowers, cor tax 6 00

709 J B Rawls, r and b 2 00

710 E M McCallough, c m tax 2 00

711 Madison Pitts